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Dear Sir,

This 10 page communication is responsive to the Office Action dated June 29, 2006. The Office Action has been carefully considered, and the Applicants have the following comments:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of Applicant's Reply.

Remarks begin on page 5 of Applicant's Reply.